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March 28, 2014

Matthew E. Wallace, P.E.  
AMEC Environment & Infrastructure, Inc.  
1308 Patton Avenue  
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SUBJECT: Approval of the Vapor Intrusion Assessment Work Plan (Revision 4)  
CTS of Asheville, Inc. Superfund Site

Dear Mr. Wallace:

I have reviewed the *Vapor Intrusion Assessment Work Plan (Revision 4)* for the CTS of Asheville, Inc. Superfund Site, which was dated March 14, 2014. The comments that EPA submitted to AMEC on prior revisions of this work plan have been taken into consideration and addressed either in the document or through verbal communications with EPA staff. As we discussed, although not specifically addressed in the work plan, multiple rounds of sampling events to take into consideration seasonal or other variables may be conducted under this work plan. Although EPA and AMEC still disagree on the attenuation factor to be used, as we discussed, it is a moot point for the purposes of this work plan revision since inside the home air samples will be collected.

The work plan states that 261 Mills Gap Road is unoccupied and therefore, that crawl space/indoor samples would not be collected at this time. Angela Miller called Mrs. Rice yesterday to discuss potential dates for conducting the assessment. Mrs. Rice stated that tenants will be moving into the currently vacant trailer on April 7, 2014. Therefore, plan to collect crawl space/indoor air samples at that address too.

Mrs. Rice will coordinate with Terry Rice and the tenants and will get back with EPA about potential sampling dates. As soon as we hear back from her, I will let you know. As always, feel free to call or write if you have any questions. I can be reached at 404-562-8760 (office), 404-909-0839 (mobile) or via email at [URQUHART-FOSTER.SAMANTHA@EPA.GOV](mailto:URQUHART-FOSTER.SAMANTHA@EPA.GOV).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. Urquhart-Foster", is positioned above the printed name.

Samantha Urquhart-Foster  
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